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16 Plaintiff,

17 v.
18 LUCENT TECHNOLOGIES INC.,

19 Defendant.

20 STEVEN J. CARAUDDO,

21 Real Party in Interest.

22 CASE NO. C 07-3747 PJH

23 **DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE
24 A MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

25 The undersigned party hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a
26 United States Magistrate Judge.

27 DATED: November 1, 2007

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